

him the triple-backed, the showerer (of
benefits),
the giver of food; arrayed in water as
VARUNA
(is arrayed) in the rivers, the giver of
precious
wealth he bestows desirable riches.

3. How thou who hast a host of
warriors, who
hast all the heroes, full of strength,
victorious, the
giver of riches, sharp-weaponed, rapid
bowman,
irresistible in battle, overthrowing
the enemy
(arrayed) in (hostile) armies.

4. Flow thou whose paths are broad,
giving
security (to the worshipper), uniting
heaven and
earth, wishing to enjoy the waters of
dawn the sun
and (his) rays thou criest aloud, (to
bestow upon)
us ample food.

5. SOMA, exhilarate YARUNA, exhilarate
MITRA;
O SOMA PAVAMAXA, exhilarate IXBRA and
VISHNU,
exhilarate the company of the MARUTS,
exhilarate
the gods, exhilarate the mighty IXBRA, O
IXDU, for
his exhilaration.

6. Thus (glorified), do thou (Sptti) like
a king,
performing thy functions, flow on

destroying all
evils by thy might; IXBU, give food (in
answer) to
(our) well-recited praise; do you (O
gods) cherish
us ever with blessings.